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DECLARATION

**RULE 63 (37 C.F.R. 1.63)**  
**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
**FOR PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, and I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the INVENTION **ENTITLED GLOBAL NETWORK COMPUTERS**, the specification of which was filed on March 17, 2004 as U.S. Application No. 10/802,049.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56. Except as noted below, I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT International Application which designated at least one other country than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International Application, filed by me or my assignee disclosing the subject matter claimed in this application and having a filing date (1) before that of the application on which priority is claimed, or (2) if no priority claimed, before the filing date of this application:

**PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)**

Number	Country	Filed	Date First Laid Open Or Published	Date Patented or Granted	Priority Claimed
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Except as noted below, I hereby claim domestic priority benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) or 120 and/or 365(c) of the indicated United States applications listed below and PCT international applications listed above or below and, if this is a continuation-in-part (CIP) application, insofar as the subject matter disclosed and claimed in this application is in addition to that disclosed in such prior applications, I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56 which became available between the filing date of each such prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

**PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL, NONPROVISIONAL AND/OR PCT APPLICATION(S)**

Application Number	Filed	Status	Priority Claimed
PCT/US02/29227	16 September 2002	pending	Yes
60/322,474	17 September 2001	abandoned	Yes
60/323,701	21 September 2001	abandoned	Yes
09/935,779	24 August 2001	pending	Yes
60/308,826	1 August 2001	abandoned	Yes
60/227,660	25 August 2000	abandoned	Yes
09/571,558	16 May 2000	pending	Yes
60/136,759	28 May 1999	abandoned	Yes
60/135,852	24 May 1999	abandoned	Yes
60/135,851	24 May 1999	abandoned	Yes
09/315,026	20 May 1999	pending	Yes
60/134,552	17 May 1999	abandoned	Yes
PCT/US98/27058	17 December 1998	abandoned	Yes
09/213,875	17 December 1998	pending	Yes
60/088,459	8 June 1998	abandoned	Yes
60/087,587	1 June 1998	abandoned	Yes
60/086,948	27 May 1998	abandoned	Yes
60/086,516	22 May 1998	abandoned	Yes
60/086,588	22 May 1998	abandoned	Yes
09/085,755	21 May 1998	pending	Yes
60/068,366	19 December 1997	abandoned	Yes
PCT/US97/21812	28 November 1997	abandoned	Yes
08/980,058	26 November 1997	pending	Yes
60/066,415	24 November 1997	abandoned	Yes
60/066,313	21 November 1997	abandoned	Yes
60/033,871	20 December 1996	abandoned	Yes
60/032,207	2 December 1996	abandoned	Yes
60/031,855	29 November 1996	abandoned	Yes

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

And I hereby appoint Pillsbury Winthrop LLP, Intellectual Property Group, (to whom all communications are to be directed), and persons of that firm who are associated with USPTO Customer No. 00909 individually and collectively my attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and with the resulting patent, and I hereby authorize them to delete from that Customer No. names of persons no longer with their firm, to add new persons of their Firm to that Customer No., and to act and rely on instructions from and communicate directly with the person/assignee/attorney/firm/ organization who/which first sends/sent this case to them and by whom/which I hereby declare that I have consented after full disclosure to be represented unless/until I instruct the above Firm and/or an attorney of that Firm in writing to the contrary.

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**ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS**  
**(37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)(1))**

Small Entity status is asserted for this application.

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